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BY ELECTRO	ONIC DIS	COVERY

Re: People v. (Indictment No.

Dear Counsel:

This disclosure letter concerns Detective Christopher Greiner, Shield #1425 of the New York City Police Department ("the Department"), presently assigned to Narcotics Borough Brooklyn South, whom the People intend to call as a witness in this case. In addition to the information below, police disciplinary information exists in various formats online, including in a database located at: https://www.nyclu.org/en/campaigns/Nypd-misconduct-database. Information concerning Detective Greiner may or may not be included in this database, and the People are unable to verify the database's general accuracy.

On or about July 29, 2016, the Department served Detective Greiner with Departmental Charges and Specifications. In sum and substance, they are as follows: 1. Said Detective Greiner, on or about January 29, 2015, at approximately 1907 hours, while on duty and assigned to Narcotics Borough Brooklyn South, in the vicinity of a location known to the Department, engaged in conduct prejudicial to the good order, efficiency, or discipline of the department in that he stopped a vehicle occupied by a person known to the Department, without sufficient legal authority. 2. Said Detective Greiner, on or about January 29, 2015, at approximately 1907 hours, while on duty and assigned to Narcotics Borough Brooklyn South, in the vicinity of a location known to the Department, engaged in conduct prejudicial to the good order, efficiency, or discipline of the department, in that he used force without police necessity when he pointed his gun at a person known to the Department. 3. Said Detective Greiner, on or about January 29, 2015, at approximately 1907 hours, while on duty and assigned to Narcotics Borough Brooklyn South, in the vicinity of a location known to the Department, engaged in conduct prejudicial to the good order, efficiency or discipline of the department, in that he spoke discourteously to a person known to the Department. 4. Said Detective Greiner, on or about January 29, 2015, at approximately 1907 hours, while on duty and assigned to Narcotics Borough Brooklyn South, in the vicinity a location known to the Department, engaged in conduct prejudicial to the good order, efficiency or discipline of the department, in that he frisked a person known to the Department, without sufficient legal authority. 5. Said Detective Greiner, on or about January 29, 2015, at approximately 1907 hours, while on duty and assigned to Narcotics Borough Brooklyn South, in the vicinity of a location known to the Department, engaged in conduct prejudicial to the good order, efficiency or discipline of the department, in that he searched a person known to the Department, without sufficient legal authority. 6. Said Detective Greiner, on or about January 29, 2015, at approximately 1907 hours, while on duty and assigned to Narcotics Borough Brooklyn South, in the vicinity of a location known to the Department, engaged in conduct prejudicial to the good order, efficiency, or discipline of the department, in that he searched the vehicle in which a person known to the Department was an occupant, without

sufficient legal authority. The Charges and Specification were dismissed and Detective Greiner received a level B Command Discipline.

On or about July 14, 2016, the Department opened an internal investigation into alleged misconduct by Detective Greiner. The Department later substantiated allegations against Detective Greiner for Fail to notify Captain/Operations. The Department penalized Detective Greiner with a Verbal Instruction.

On or about January 28, 2018, the Department opened an internal investigation into alleged misconduct by Detective Greiner. The Department later substantiated allegations against Detective Greiner for Report Incomplete/Inaccurate - Property Clerk Invoice and Invoice Discrepancy - Lab - Marijuana. The Department penalized Detective Greiner with a Verbal Instruction.

On or about February 5, 2018, the Department opened an internal investigation into alleged misconduct by Detective Greiner. The Department later substantiated allegations against Detective Greiner for Invoice Discrepancy - Lab - Controlled Substance and Report Incomplete/Inaccurate - Property Clerk Invoice. The Department penalized Detective Greiner with a Verbal Instruction.

On or about March 5, 2018, the Department opened an internal investigation into alleged misconduct by Detective Greiner. The Department later substantiated allegations against Detective Greiner for Invoice Discrepancy - Lab - Controlled Substance and Report Incomplete/Inaccurate - Property Clerk Invoice. The Department penalized Detective Greiner with a Verbal Instruction.

On or about March 5, 2018, the Department opened an internal investigation into alleged misconduct by Detective Greiner. The Department later substantiated allegations against Detective Greiner for Report Incomplete/Inaccurate - Property Clerk Invoice and Invoice Discrepancy - Lab - Marijuana. The Department penalized Detective Greiner with a Verbal Instruction.

The Civilian Complaint Review Board substantiated certain misconduct by Detective Greiner. I am electronically serving redacted CCRB materials.

The Civilian Complaint Review Board did *not* substantiate allegations against Detective Greiner involving an incident occurring on August 14, 2014 and January 29, 2015. However, a CCRB investigator found Other Misconduct Noted – Failure to produce stop and frisk report and Failure to prepare memobook entry.

Pursuant to <u>People v. Garrett</u>, 23 N.Y.3d 878 (2014), the People are disclosing the following list of civil lawsuits in which Detective Greiner has been named in his capacity as a member of law enforcement.

The People identified the lawsuits listed below primarily using public databases and information, including a list of lawsuits alleging misconduct by the NYPD and its individual officers which is published every six months on the New York City Law Department's web site, available at https://www1.nyc.gov/site/law/public-resources/nyc-administrative-code-7-114.page. Publicly-available

litigation materials related to these lawsuits are also being provided, to the extent the materials currently are in the People's possession.

Case Name: BROWN, AMEYA VS CITY OF NEW YORK, ET AL.

Case Number: 12CV02677; Court: N/A; Litigation Start Date: May 30, 2012

Case Name: CANALES, JULIO VS CITY OF NEW YORK, ET AL.

Case Number: 15CV04823

Court: U.S. District Court - Eastern District NY; Litigation Start Date: August 27, 2015

Case Name: MINAWAR, MARVIN VS CITY OF NEW YORK, ET AL.

Case Number: 14CV01855

Court: U.S. District Court - Eastern District NY; Litigation Start Date: March 24, 2014

Case Name: MIRABEL, SUNRAY VS CITY OF NEW YORK, ET AL.

Case Number: 18CV06597

Court: U.S. District Court - Eastern District NY; Litigation Start Date: December 19, 2018

Case Name: OLIVO, ANGEL VS CITY OF NEW YORK, ET AL.

Case Number: 006883/2009

Court: N/A; Litigation Start Date: March 25, 2009

Case Name: RIVERA, EVELIN VS CITY OF NEW YORK, ET AL.

Case Number: 06CV15419

Court: N/A; Litigation Start Date: December 26, 2006

Case Name: ROBINSON, KIMON VS CITY OF NEW YORK, ET AL.

Case Number: 13CV01538

Court: U.S. District Court - Eastern District NY; Litigation Start Date: March 29, 2013

Case Name: RODRIGUEZ, MANUEL VS CITY OF NEW YORK, ET AL.

Case Number: 109411/2007

Court: N/A; Litigation Start Date: July 12, 2007

Case Name: SANCHEZ, EDWIN VS CITY OF NEW YORK, ET AL.

Case Number: 512716/2018

Court: Supreme Court - Kings; Litigation Start Date: June 28, 2018

Case Name: SHILMESTER, ROMAN VS GREINER, CHRISTOP, ET AL.

Case Number: 15CV04014

Court: U.S. District Court - Eastern District NY; Litigation Start Date: July 14, 2015

Case Name: SINGMAN, JOE VS CITY OF NEW YORK, ET AL.

Case Number: 10CV00244

Court: N/A; Litigation Start Date: January 25, 2010

Case Name: VALDERRAMA, VICTOR VS DETECTIVE GREINER, CHRISTOPHER, ET AL.

Case Number: 12CV05124

Court: N/A; Litigation Start Date: October 23, 2012

Case Name: VEGA, ANTHONY VS DETECTIVE GREINER, CHRISTOPHER, ET AL.

Case Number: 15CV05585

Court: U.S. District Court - Eastern District NY; Litigation Start Date: December 05, 2016

Case Name: VIERRA, MILDRED VS CITY OF NEW YORK, ET AL.

Case Number: 17CV07416

Court: U.S. District Court - Eastern District NY; Litigation Start Date: February 09, 2018

Case Name: WELCH, BARRY VS CITY OF NEW YORK, ET AL.

Case Number: 022131/2011

Court: N/A; Litigation Start Date: October 18, 2011

Allegations of misconduct that have not been substantiated and are not pending (including, but not limited to, findings of unsubstantiated, unfounded, and exonerated) are not subject to disclosure and generally are not included in this letter. Additionally, the decision to include information in this letter does not represent a conclusion by the People that all the information contained herein is required to be disclosed under the People's constitutional, ethical or statutory obligations. The People reserve the right to move in limine to preclude or limit reference to the information in this letter in any further proceedings in this prosecution.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at (212) 815-0155.

Sincerely,

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